

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Aguilar, Jr. et al.** § Group Art Unit: **2131**  
Serial No.: **10/670,825** § Examiner: **Sheikh, Ayaz R.**  
Filed: **September 25, 2003** § Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920030704US1**  
For: **System and Method for** §  
**Encrypting Data Using a Plurality of** §  
**Processors** §

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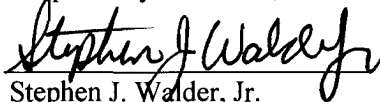
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Respectfully submitted,



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